

## **Board Bulletin**

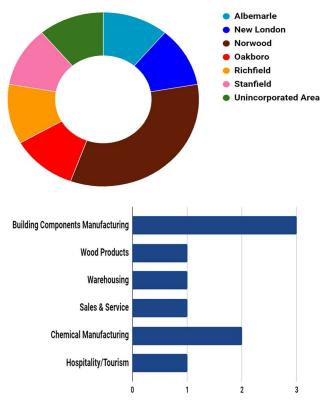
April 28, 2023

## **Economic Development Update**

The current number of active projects with activity in the past six (6) months is nine (9). One formerly active project recently announced the investment of \$1.5 million and the creation of 8 new jobs in Oakboro. Additionally, there were two (2) new active projects added in the past 30 days.

Staff responded to four (4) Requests for Information (RFIs) in the past 30 days. One of these leads was generated by the Charlotte Regional Business Alliance (CRBA), and the other three (3) leads were generated by the Economic Development Partnership of North Carolina (EDPNC).

EDC staff made three (3) existing industry visits in the past 30 days. Below please find a couple charts with the locations under consideration and the industry type for the active projects.



## Report to the People Available Online

The County's 19th annual Report to the People which includes performance data and important information about various programs and services is available online at the following link:



https://www.stanlycountync.gov/wp-content/upLoads/2023/04/Report-to-the-People-2022.pdf

## Jail Overcrowding Update

As of Friday, April 28, there are currently nine (9) inmates being housed out-of-county due to overcrowding in the jail facility. Below please find a summary of the monthly charges the County has incurred for housing inmates out-of-county due to overcrowding in FY 2022-2023.

Month	Out-of-County Charges
July 2022	\$0
August 2022	\$24,575
September 2022	\$38,010
October 2022	\$20,580
November 2022	\$21,490
December 2022	\$14,420
January 2023	\$14,700
February 2023	\$8,120
March 2023	\$19,180
April 2023	\$10,290
TOTAL (FYTD)	\$171,365

The average number of inmates booked per day (3.6) is still less than FY 20-21 (3.97) when there was no overcrowding issue.

